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The following observations were made in Chemnitz (N 51/K 66) on 9 December 1949:

1. Former Infanterie Kaserne on Leninstrasse:

a. Occupied by about 600 troops, most of whom were allegedly recruits of various units. No heavy weapons were observed.

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2. Former Artillerie Kaserne on Leninstrasse:

Occupied by MVD units and a unit whose personnel wore black epaulets.

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3. Local residents said that about 150 troops from the former Infanterie Kaserne and 100 troops from the former Artillerie Kaserne left to cordon off the surrounding area after the catastrophe in the Johannegeorgenstadt (N 51/K 51) mine. The troops had not yet returned by 9 December 1949.

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Comment:

These two Chemnitz kasernes are still occupied primarily

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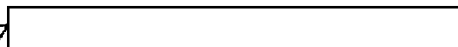


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by component units of an unidentified AAA Div
(6th Gds ?) of the GDFG.

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